

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.: 10/647,501

Applicant: Carl T. Allenspach *et al.*

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Examiner: Ernst V. Arnold

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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the April 7, 2008 Office Action in the above-referenced application. Accordingly, applicants petition for any necessary extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 required for timely acceptance of the present Response, and authorize payment of such extension fees to Deposit Account No. 16-1445.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Response.